

AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION/MODIFICATION OF CONTRACT				1. CONTRACT ID CODE J		PAGE OF PAGES 1 4	
2. AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION NO. 0006		3. EFFECTIVE DATE 30-Dec-2004		4. REQUISITION/PURCHASE REQ. NO. W16ROE-4302-4008		5. PROJECT NO. (If applicable)	
6. ISSUED BY USA ENGINEER DISTRICT, NEW YORK ATTN: CENAN-CT ROOM 1843 26 FEDERAL PLAZA NEW YORK NY 10278		CODE W912DS		7. ADMINISTERED BY (If other than item 6) See Item 6		CODE	
8. NAME AND ADDRESS OF CONTRACTOR (No., Street, County, State and Zip Code)				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9A. AMENDMENT OF SOLICITATION NO. W912DS-05-B-0002			
				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 9B. DATED (SEE ITEM 11) 22-Nov-2004			
				10A. MOD. OF CONTRACT/ORDER NO.			
				10B. DATED (SEE ITEM 13)			
CODE				FACILITY CODE			
11. THIS ITEM ONLY APPLIES TO AMENDMENTS OF SOLICITATIONS							
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The above numbered solicitation is amended as set forth in Item 14. The hour and date specified for receipt of Offer <input type="checkbox"/> is extended. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> is not extended. Offer must acknowledge receipt of this amendment prior to the hour and date specified in the solicitation or as amended by one of the following methods: (a) By completing Items 8 and 15, and returning 1 copies of the amendment; (b) By acknowledging receipt of this amendment on each copy of the offer submitted; or (c) By separate letter or telegram which includes a reference to the solicitation and amendment numbers. FAILURE OF YOUR ACKNOWLEDGMENT TO BE RECEIVED AT THE PLACE DESIGNATED FOR THE RECEIPT OF OFFERS PRIOR TO THE HOUR AND DATE SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR OFFER. If by virtue of this amendment you desire to change an offer already submitted, such change may be made by telegram or letter, provided each telegram or letter makes reference to the solicitation and this amendment, and is received prior to the opening hour and date specified.							
12. ACCOUNTING AND APPROPRIATION DATA (If required)							
13. THIS ITEM APPLIES ONLY TO MODIFICATIONS OF CONTRACTS/ORDERS. IT MODIFIES THE CONTRACT/ORDER NO. AS DESCRIBED IN ITEM 14.							
A. THIS CHANGE ORDER IS ISSUED PURSUANT TO: (Specify authority) THE CHANGES SET FORTH IN ITEM 14 ARE MADE IN THE CONTRACT ORDER NO. IN ITEM 10A.							
B. THE ABOVE NUMBERED CONTRACT/ORDER IS MODIFIED TO REFLECT THE ADMINISTRATIVE CHANGES (such as changes in paying office, appropriation date, etc.) SET FORTH IN ITEM 14, PURSUANT TO THE AUTHORITY OF FAR 43.103(B).							
C. THIS SUPPLEMENTAL AGREEMENT IS ENTERED INTO PURSUANT TO AUTHORITY OF:							
D. OTHER (Specify type of modification and authority)							
E. IMPORTANT: Contractor <input type="checkbox"/> is not, <input type="checkbox"/> is required to sign this document and return _____ copies to the issuing office.							
14. DESCRIPTION OF AMENDMENT/MODIFICATION (Organized by UCF section headings, including solicitation/contract subject matter where feasible.) The solicitation is amended as follows: 1. To incorporate and reissue revised drawings; 2. To incorporate contractor(s)' submitted questions and provide answers to such, herein. The bid opening date remains unchanged. NOTE: OFFERORS MUST ACKNOWLEDGE RECEIPT OF THIS AMENDMENT BY THE DATE SPECIFIED IN THE SOLICITATION (OR AS AMENDED) BY ONE OF THE FOLLOWING METHODS: IN THE SPACE PROVIDED ON THE SF1442, BY SEPARATE LETTER, OR BY TELEGRAM, OR BY SIGNING BLOCK 15 BELOW. FAILURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE AMENDMENTS BY THE DATE AND TIME SPECIFIED MAY RESULT IN REJECTION OF YOUR BID IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE LATE BID, LATE MODIFICATIONS OF BIDS OR LATE WITHDRAWAL OF BIDS (FAR 14.304). 1. CONTRACT ID CODE PAGE OF PAGES J11216A . NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)							
Except as provided herein, all terms and conditions of the document referenced in Item 9A or 10A, as heretofore changed, remains unchanged and in full force and effect.							
15A. NAME AND TITLE OF SIGNER (Type or print)				16A. NAME AND TITLE OF CONTRACTING OFFICER (Type or print)			
				TEL. _____ EMAIL _____			
15B. CONTRACTOR OFFEROR		15C. DATE SIGNED		16B. UNITED STATES OF AMERICA		16C. DATE SIGNED	
(Signature of person authorized to sign)				BY _____		30-Dec-2004	
				(Signature of Contracting Officer)			

SECTION SF 30 BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

SUMMARY OF CHANGES

SECTION SF 30 - BLOCK 14 CONTINUATION PAGE

The following have been added by full text:

AMENDMENT 0006

The following changes shall be made to the drawings and specifications.

DRAWINGS

1. The following DRAWINGS have been **REVISED** but not **REISSUED**:
NONE
2. The following DRAWINGS have been **REVISED** and **REISSUED**:
NONE

SPECIFICATIONS

1. The following SPECIFICATION SECTIONS have been **ADDED** and are provided in their entirety herein:
NONE
2. The following SPECIFICATIONS SECTIONS have been **DELETED** in their entirety: **NONE**
3. The following SPECIFICATIONS have been **REVISED** but **NOT REISSUED**:
 - a. Section 04200, Masonry; In paragraph 3.2.4.4, Cavity Walls; **DELETE** the last sentence: " [Cavity face of interior wythe shall be dampproofed in accordance with section 07112N BITUMINOUS DAMPPROOFING.]".
 - b. Section 05120, Structural Steel; **DELETE** the last sentence of paragraph 3.1; "Structural steelwork, except surfaces of steel to be encased in concrete, surfaces to be field welded, surfaces to be fireproofed, and contact surfaces of friction-type high-strength bolted connections shall be prepared for painting in accordance with endorsement "P" of AISC FCD and primed with the specified paint."
 - c. Section 02556A, Gas Distribution Sysytem; In paragraph 1.1, References; Under the National Fire Protection Agency section **ADD** " NFPA 54 National Fuel Gas Code".

BIDDER'S QUESTIONS AND GOVERNMENT REPLY

(Questions that may be of general interest of all bidders/Government and that are not readily answered by the proceeding changes will appear below. These questions may have been paraphrased or altered to represent several questions regarding the same subject and/or clarify and simplify the question(s). Questions and answers are issued to the Offerors/Bidders for information only.)

Question (Q): Detail B/A704 calls for a 2 precast concrete Logo graphics₂. Is this a supplied graphic to be installed on the face of the precast or is it to be cast-in? If it is to be cast-in I need to know what they look like. Assume there are 2 on each side. **Response (R): Detail B A704 is all brick with lettering attached, there is a precast concrete cap on top of the brick as shown on this detail.**

Q: Specification 05120 paragraph 1.2 mentions to include shop primer. Paragraph 1.4 submittals SD-03 Product Data lists Shop primer and SD-06 Tests Reports lists Class B coating. Paragraph 3.1 states surfaces to be prepared for painting in accordance with endorsement "P" of AISC FCD and primed with specified Paint. What is the specified paint and surface preparation? **R: Specification 05120 calling for Class B coating is correct. Specification section 05120 has been revised as per this amendment; see above section for the revision that shall clarify this issue.** It should be noted in specification 0900 paragraph 1.9.1.2 Interior Painting states to paint exposed columns, girders, beams joist and metal deck. However in paragraph 1.9.2 Painting Excluded states concealed surfaces need not be painted. I believe that none of the structural steel is exposed. Does the structural steel receive a primer? If yes what is the surface preparation and paint required. **R: Priming of the steel is separate and apart from section 0900 interior painting. The Architectural section 0900 is correct; it pertains to painting not steel priming. These two issues are separate and apart; the fabricator does the priming, not interior painting. All steel (whether exposed or concealed) needs to be primed. See section 05120 paragraph 3.5.1 for information on dealing with field priming of steel.**

Q: Referring to section 02556A, Gas distribution system, paragraph 2.3.2 and 2.4 The supplier of gas meters and regulators in Buffalo is unable to determine which type of equipment you are requesting and is unable to provide our firm with a price. **R: Information on the gas meter and gas regulator requirements can be obtained from drawing M-509, Mechanical Details-7 on the Typical Gas Service (W/By-Pass) Detail and drawing M-600, Mechanical Schedules-1. M-509 has information regarding the external pressure coming into the building and M-600 has the Boiler schedule that can be used to determine the gas pressure required in the building. As per this amendment NFPA 54 was added to the reference section of specification 02556A to clarify requirements. In regards to paragraph 2.4, the 500 pulse per minute with no false pulses is a standard specification requirement.**

Q: We propose to bid the fire sprinkler work to GC's. Would you please clarify requirements for seismic bracing and hangers for the sprinkler piping. Our interpretation of the specifications is that sprinkler piping larger than 2.5 inches needs to be braced. Several GC's have told me seismic bracing need only occur at the seismic joint of the building (Col. Line D), as shown on drawing S-107. **R: The Bidders attention is directed to specification section 15070A for general guidance concerning the extent of seismic protection for all mechanical equipment and systems, paragraphs 1.2.3, 1.2.4, 1.2.5, 1.2.5.1 and 1.2.5.2. Seismic bracing is not limited to the seismic joint in the building.**

Q: In Amendment #0005, drawing A-503 was not revised as stated. **R: The drawing was revised but not reissued in amendment #0005. The instructions for the revision to drawing A-503 are in the revised but not reissued section of the amendment.**

Q: Specification section 04200, Masonry, paragraph 3.2.4.4 indicated dampproofing the cavity face of the interior Wythe per Specification 07112H, Bituminous Dampproofing. This specification is not included in the bid documents. If this work is required, please provide this specification. **R: This work is not required and the sentence in paragraph 3.2.4.4 that refers to specification section 07112H is to be removed as per this amendment.**

The following question appeared in prior amendments, the bidders are advised to disregard in lieu of the following:

NONE

-- End of Section --

(End of Summary of Changes)